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(54) **Coating compositions**

(57) A coating composition comprising (A) a vinyl copolymer containing a hydroxyl group and a hydrolyzable silyl group, (B) an organopolysiloxane of the formula: $R^1 X_b SiO_{(4-a-b)/2}$ wherein R^1 is a C_{1-10} hydrocarbon group, X is hydroxyl or an alkoxy, alkenoxy, acetoxo or ketoxime group having 1 - 6 carbon atoms, and a and b are positive numbers: $0 < a < 2$, $0 < b < 3$, and $0 < a + b < 4$, (C) a condensation catalyst, and optionally (D) an

organosilane of the formula: $R^1_c SiY_{4-c}$ wherein R^1 is as defined above, Y is an alkoxy, alkenoxy, acetoxo or ketoxime group having 1 - 6 carbon atoms, and c is equal to 0, 1 or 2. The composition can firmly adhere to various inorganic substrates, especially stainless steel and form a coating having improved resistance to weather, water, stains and alkalis.

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